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SKI FOR LIGHT RETURNS TO BIG SKY COUNTRY

For the first time since 1989, the 2027 Ski for Light International Event will be held in the beautiful state of Montana. We will be staying in the town of West Yellowstone, and skiing the Rendezvous Trail System in the Custer Gallatin National Forest. Rendezvous has more than 35 kilometers of groomed trails winding through lodgepole pine forest and open meadows.

Ski for Light, an all-volunteer, non-profit organization founded in 1975, hosts an annual week-long event where adults with visual or mobility impairments learn the basics of cross-country skiing. The 2027 international week will be held from Sunday, January 17 until Sunday, January 24, 2027.

Based on a Norwegian program called the Ridderrenn, each visually or mobility impaired participant is paired with an experienced, sighted cross-country skier who acts as instructor and on-snow guide for a week of skiing, sharing and learning. First time skiers will be introduced to basic technique while returning skiers will have an opportunity to enhance existing skills.

While the focus of the week is cross-country skiing, there are plenty of after ski activities including presentations, workshops and evening entertainment, where participants have an opportunity to catch up with old friends and make new ones.

Join the celebration for an experience of a lifetime by participating as a skier, instructor guide or volunteer worker. Applications and additional information will be available in the summer at www.sfl.org; meanwhile, join our community on Facebook (Ski for Light, Inc., and check out our YouTube channel (Ski for Light International).

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